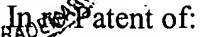


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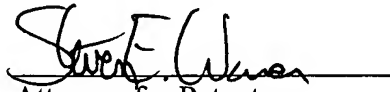
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COLUMN 13:

Line 10, "made/without" should read -- made without --.

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Line 23, "transferring" should read -- transferring of --.

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